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GOLD!
Late Indications Point to a Vast Deposit of the Yellow Metal.

The gold excitement is getting to a fever heat, and it is now almost certain that the reports from the Wichita mountains of gold in paying quantities are not creation of an idle brain. The best and most influential business men of this city have the greatest confidence in the fact and great preparations are now in operation. Horses have doubled in value and supplies are inadequate to meet demands and orders by wire by outside merchants are numerous. The assay is entirely satisfactory, and all efforts are being made to keep the matter dark in order that the company may control the field. The truth of these statements can be verified only by personal inspection, which the situation certainly warrants. The results show a yield of \$200 to \$600 per ton. An assaying outfit, accompanied by some of the wealthy citizens of Guthrie, leave soon for the field. Doctor Vandervoort, Joe Wisby, United States Marshall Nix, Mr. McKay, District Clerk, L. E. Pitts, and others will join. Claim jumping has reached the camp and the end is not yet. Mayor Martin, who has just returned from El Reno, brought over a small piece of ore from which Dr. Vandervoort got 15 cents worth of gold, or at the rate of \$1,200 to the ton.

ROULESAM AND THE WALLER CASE.

WASHINGTON, June 19.—There was very strong intimation in the state department that ex-Congressman John L. Waller, of Kansas, who is serving a term of twenty-one years in a French prison for alleged crimes in Madagascar, is likely to receive very little aid from his government. The intimation was that certain papers have been received from Ambassador Eustis showing evidence upon which Waller was convicted before the French court-martial in Madagascar, and upon this the intimation was based that Mr. Waller would likely meet with disappointment in his hope for aid from this country, leading first to his freedom, and second to a restoration of his financial rights in Madagascar. It is indicated that papers received show that Mr. Waller did conspire with the French government against the French, and that for some reason he was encouraging the plan for an uprising of natives against the French martial regime prevailing at that time. It is announced to be a serious case in that country, according to French law, and the punishment prescribed is not excessive.

DONT BAPTIZE COLORED PEOPLE.

CHICAGO, O., June 19.—At the Baptist minister's conference this morning the Rev. Johnson Myers, who will become pastor of the Emanuel Baptist Church in Chicago, July 1, was taken to task by Rev. H. D. Ward of the colored church, for some utterances regarding the baptism of the colored people. He asked Myers if it was true that he had said in Chicago that he would be willing to immerse colored people. Mr. Myers said it was true that he had said and he was emphatic in repeating as long as the Baptists maintain a line for colored people the colored people ought to go there and stand their own pastors," he said. He had refused to baptize colored people here for that reason, and what had done here he intended to do in Chicago.

ILLED ONE WOUNDED THREE.

WINDYVIEW, Neb., June 17.—G. A. Porter, a resident of Spring Creek, yesterday, gave himself up to Sheriff, saying that he had killed a man, wounded three more and a woman nearly to death. The family killed and wounded goes by the name of Woodfork, negroes. Porter, it seems, went after some tagged horses. The Woodforks used to give them up and a fight and.

A WARM RECEPTION.

An Attempted Robbery of a Bank at Butte, Mont., Foiled.

A HOUSE STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

The Hairpins and Corset Stays of two women Melted and their Bodies Frightfully Burned—A Miniature Battle.

Butte, Mont., June 12.—A man, who refused to give his name, entered the Silver Bow national bank here at the noon hour yesterday and demanded money from W. O. Thomas, who was in charge. The demand was backed by a gun, which was thrust through the paying teller's window. Thomas jumped down behind the counter, grabbed a gun and fired six shots into the ceiling to attract the people in the street. The robber ran out of the building and with his gun ordering the people out of his way. A policeman heard the shooting and met the man running away. A battle took place between the two, and was kept up for a block, both emptying their guns at each other. A part of the officer's coat was carried away by a bullet, but otherwise no damage was done. The robber was captured by a deputy sheriff. He is a stranger here, having arrived ten days ago along with a gang of safe blowers. He secured no money. The officers of the bank gave the policeman and deputy sheriff \$100 each for their work. The bankers had heard that an attempt was to be made to rob them, but paid little attention to the warning.

A HOUSE STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

KIOWA, I. T., June 12.—During the prevalence of a thunderstorm here about 11 o'clock Monday night lightning struck Mr. Thompson residence, tearing out the end of the house and setting fire to the furniture and clothing of the occupants of the sitting room, and but for the timely arrival of neighbors, all would have been cremated alive. Mrs. Thompson and Miss Lolla Collins were knocked senseless, the hairpins and corset stays of both ladies being melted, while their heads, faces and their left side of their bodies were paralyzed and frightfully burned, the latter tearing one of their shoes into shreds when it made its exit. Miss Elia Ward and Mr. J. B. Jones, the other two persons present, sustained painful though not necessarily fatal injuries. The physicians have little hope of saving either Mr. Thompson or Miss Collins. The injured were dragged from the burning building and into a drizzling rain and the flames distinguished.

A MINIATURE BATTLE.

OKLAHOMA CITY, Ok., June 12.—News has just reached this city on the eastern boundary of the Kickapoo country between ex-Mayor Baird and John Gandy. The latter was occupying a lot owned by Baird. Baird attempted to take forcible possession and a fight ensued, in which Gandy was badly beaten with a scuffling. At a late hour last night the parties, reinforced by other members of their families and friends, came together and renewed the battle. A free-for-all fight ensued, in which weapons of every character from a six-shooter to a tomahawk were freely used. Gandy was shot in the back and is reported in a critical condition. A number of others were more or less seriously injured. Several arrests were made. Owing to the distance from the railroad full particulars cannot yet be had.

ON A SPREE.

SIOUX CITY Ia., June 12.—The residents of the eastern part of this city have been having serious trouble for some time with a band of 100 Winnebago Indians, who came to town a short time ago to sell gooseberries. After pitching their tents the aborigines went on a prolonged spree, and for days it has been dangerous for anyone to approach the camp. The redskins have already been notified by the police that they must return to their reservation in Nebraska, but have disregarded the warning. There are so many of them and they are in such a reckless condition that the officers are unwilling to interfere with them.

THE TICKET FILLED.

Kentucky Republican Finally Name Candidates.

W. J. WORTHINGTON CHURCH F. R. LEICHTENSTADT GOVERNOR.

So Many Claims for Nomination in the Blue Grass State, That Work of the Convention is Necessarily Made Very Slow—Democrats Divided Between Carlisle and Blackburn, Who Represent Sound Money and Free Silver.

Louisville, Ky., June 6.—The Republican state convention closed tonight, after two days and two nights of exciting contest. After adjourning the first day's session at midnight, the convention was today in continuous session from 10 a. m. until 7 p. m. without refreshments, and then took a recess for supper until 8 p. m. The delegates had absorbed several hundred speeches and voted more than all previous Republican delegates in Kentucky had voted during the present generation. There were almost 100 avowed candidates for the various state nominations, and the contests were so intense that order could not always be maintained. When the convention took a recess from 7 to 8 p. m. there were two nominations still to be made, but a recess was necessitated by the inability of Chairman Evans to proceed in the noisy confusion. Tonight's session was even more boisterous than the afternoon proceeding, and the delegates were held in their seats until long after midnight.

The Democratic convention meets here June 25, to decide whether the Carlisleites, for "sound money," or the Blackburnites, for "free silver," shall prevail. The Republicans think their old dominant opponents will be so divided as to give today's nomination a winning chance. The senatorship was an important factor at this convention, J. W. Yerkes, A. E. Wilson, J. A. Lewis, George Denny and Walter Evans being the Republican aspirants for Senator, Blackburn has ex-Governor Backnor, ex-Governor McCreary and Governor Brown as his opponents. Col. Bradley, who was unanimously nominated for governor yesterday, is not in the senatorial contest, but should be elected in this Democratic stronghold in November, his name will be presented next year for the vice presidency.

THE JIM CROW CAR AND THE COLORED PEOPLE.

[NEW ORLEANS TRIBUNE]

Surely the jim crow car law is an outrage upon humanity; the law provides for separation of the white and colored races, but it also provides for equal accommodation, is merely a farce and outrage. As a minister, our profession necessitates us doing a great deal of traveling on the several railroads operating in the States, and we can testify that the L. & N. the Q. & O. are the only railroads except Governor Warmoth's line that makes any pretense of equal accommodation. The Illinois Central is the worst governed of them all. We have, on several occasions, complained of the outrageous manner in which the obnoxious separate car law is enforced on the Illinois Central. Once we filed a written complaint with the officials of the road. The conductors and porters of the I. & C. have but little regard for separating the races in so far as it applies to the keeping of white men of the colored compartment. On last Saturday we took a trip to Amite City, and one white man rode all the way from New Orleans to Amite City in the Negro half car, and on several occasions two or three white men left the white folks' car and came into the Negro half car to drink whiskey or some other drink, and went into the water closet. One of the old Confederate veterans who was returning from Houston, came into the Negro compartment and exchanged coat; that is, he pulled off one coat and put it in his grip, and put another on his body. During the whole trip white men were passing and repassing the Negro compartment smoking and using obscene language. We earnestly appeal to the Negro preachers

to unite in petitioning the I. C. authorities against these outrages: It is a shame for the refined colored lady to be subjected to such outrages and insults, but the longer we bear it the worse it will be.

WILL STARVE THEM.

No Outside Food Supplies for the Nestorian Christians.

A DREADFUL MASSACRE IN CHINA.

Men, Women and Children Killed at the Mission in Cheng Tu—Transformed Into a Desert.—Dark Rumors—A Torpedo in Italy.

NEW YORK, June 18.—A press correspondent, writing from Djales, Russia, says: The Turkish government, it is claimed, has just taken the preliminary steps in what may result in a massacre of Nestorian Christians in the mountains of Kurdistan. It is asserted the government has given orders to starve the independent tribes of Nestorians in the mountain region immediately west of Gawar, which may be described as lying about midway between Mosul and Lake Van about 50 miles west of the Persian frontier. The orders, it is stated are that no food supplies of any kind shall be allowed to enter the territory of the independent tribes, and that measures are said to be taken to enforce these orders to the letter. This action is apparently taken as a means of compelling the independent tribes to submit to the Turkish authorities and to pay the taxes from the independent tribes. The present course of the government is taken in some quarters as an indication that the Sultan has set on foot a systematic persecution of the Christians in all parts of the empire.

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LONDON, June 18.—A special dispatch from Shanghai says it is almost certain that a massacre of the persons connected with the English, French and American missions at Cheng Tu has occurred. Neither men, women nor children have been intercepted by the government, the object being to conceal the news of the massacre. A French gunboat is en route to Wuen Chang to investigate the report.

THE GEORGIA SENATORSHIP.

WASHINGTON, June 13.—The retirement of Senator Gordon from public life, which he has announced will take place at the close of his present term, has attracted considerable attention here to the senatorial situation in Georgia. According to present indications, it is to be a race between ex-Speaker Crisp and Secretary Hoke Smith. The Secretary is very confident of the strength of the administration in Georgia and of the ability of the administration forces to carry the state for "sound money." Speaker Crisp has lately made a positive and unequivocal announcement of his position, which was not misunderstood, coming out squarely for the independent free and unlimited coinage of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1. Representative Tate of Georgia, says that the withdrawal of Senator Gordon is going to complicate matters considerably. Patrick Walsh will undoubtedly come forward again for further senatorial honors, but the indications are, Mr. Tate says that the real fight will be between Speaker Crisp and Secretary Smith.

WARM FOR WHITECAPS.

SALEM, Mo., June 19.—The home of Eli Harvey, 24 miles north of here, was visited about 12 o'clock last night by a mob of whitecaps, numbering about twenty-five, and part of them forced their way into the house in search of John Harvey, Eli's son. They were met by John in the upper hall and he opened at once, killing Joseph Nelson. Then he went to a window and fired again at a man in the yard, wounding him. The wounded man was carried off by his friends, and up to this time his name and the extent of his injuries are unknown. John Harvey had for some time been enamored of a young woman named Carls, and had on numerous occasions threatened her life unless she married him. This was the reason for the raid. The men composing the mob are unknown.

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